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Docket No.: 377/9-1616

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant: Gianluigi GAMBERINI Conf. No. 9685  
Serial No.: 09/989,225 Group Art Unit: 3721  
Filing Date: November 20, 2001 Examiner: John Roger Paradiso  
For: **DEVICE FOR PACKAGING ROLLS OF WEB MATERIAL  
IN AN AUTOMATIC PACKAGING MACHINE**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Sir:

This is a petition to extend the time for filing the response to the Office Action dated May 12, 2003, in the above-identified application. The extension of time indicated below is required and has not yet been granted:

[3] months fee = \$475.00

A check for \$475.00 is enclosed to cover the extension fee. Please charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 04-0838.

Respectfully submitted,

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